

# BACKBONE BOURBON

## BIG BASH

### Blended Whiskey

**Big Bash** is a celebration of the journey Backbone has taken throughout recent years. Our identity as a company has become based on our ability to utilize finishing and blending expertise to create whiskeys that are truly a "party in a bottle". Big Bash is just that, with over 90% of the blend consisting of whiskeys that were in finishing barrels for between 6 months and 2 years. With a touch of fruitiness and a slightly exotic sweetness, Big Bash is sure to be the life of any party.

**Mash Bills Used in Blend:**

95% Rye; 5% Malted Barley

75% Corn; 21% Rye; 4% Malted Barley

60% Corn; 36% Rye; 4% Malted Barley

**Distillation:** Lawrenceburg, IN

**Proof:** 110

**Current Batch:** #1

**Cases Produced:** 340

**Tasting Notes:** The classic bourbon-forward nose exhibits notes of banana and brown sugar, framed by an oak accent. Rich texture on the palate with balanced and complex flavors showing both traditional and exotic sweetness with hints of ripe banana and dried orange. The sweetness and complexity lead into a very pleasing and lengthy finish calling for another sip.

## Whisky **Pre-Release Statement** ADVOCATE **Backbone Bourbon Big Bash**

*Like many other non-distiller producers, Backbone sources its whiskeys from MGP in Indiana, but that's not to say that these are typical releases. Often bottled at barrel strength, its whiskeys have scored favorably, with our tasting panel, with the Anniversary Edition Decade Down Uncut scoring 89 points in the Winter 2022 Buying Guide and The Forge Blended netting 91 points in the Fall of 2022. We are intrigued to see how the added element of cask-finishing advances these whiskeys even further.*

